INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROJECTS AND PROCUREMENT

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A BIT ABOUT ME AND MY ROLE...

As the Chief Information Officer, my responsibilities include:

Supervision of all Information Technology (IT) and Telecommunications activities for the Water Boards.

This includes (but is not limited to):

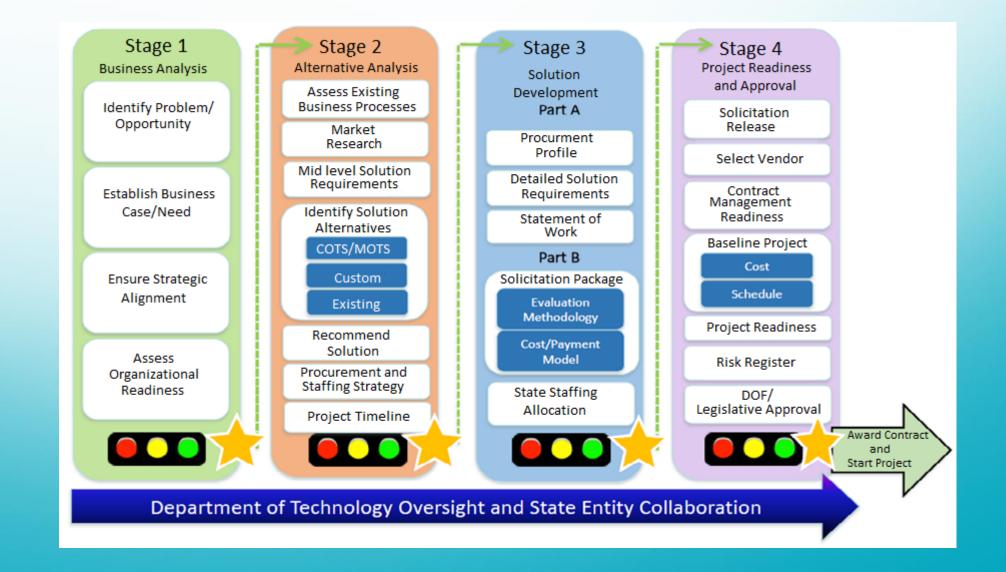
Information technology, information security and telecommunications personnel, contractors, systems, assets, projects, purchases and contracts.

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Information Technology Projects and Procurements can receive oversight from:

- Department of Technology
- CalEPA's Agency Information Officer
- Department of Finance
- Legislative Analyst's Office
- Department of General Services

IT PROJECT APPROVAL LIFECYCLE



CONSIDERATIONS WHEN INVESTING IN TECHNOLOGY

What else will you need besides the technology?

- Integration with existing systems?
- Additional data storage needs
- Hardware and software requirements
- What support will be needed after the acquisition?
- Maintenance?
- What are the avenues for procurement?



HOW CAN WE MAKE THIS EASIER?

Early Planning and Engagement with DIT clarifies requirements

Alternatives for meeting the need – is something already in the works?

Our experience can help

Determine how to work within the constraints

Plan for the long term and continuous support



Let us help!

Questions?